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NEGRO WELFARE LEAGUE
of
NEW JERSEY

December 22, 1937

The regular meeting of the Friendly
Visitors Committee of the Negro Welfare League
was held at 249 Mulberry Street on the above date.

Present: Miss Eva Mulford, Miss Kay Mulford,
Mrs. Tronoloso, Miss Robinson, Mrs. Munro, Mrs. Little,
Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Wright, Miss Nieman, Mrs. Gregory,
Miss Stratton, Mr. Ashby

The minutes of the previous meeting were read
and accepted with the addition that Mrs. Stratton had
been asked to make a Friendly Visitor of her family,
Mr. Rivers.

Mrs. Stratton and Mr. Brown were reported sick.
The Secretary was asked to write them a letter of sym-
pathy from the Friendly Visitors.

Letter to Friendly Visitors Committee from the
Executive Committee in answer to the one requesting
consideration of Mrs. Richardson was not received.
Mr. Ashby reported that the Executive Committee was
not in financial position to employ any more help at
the present, but would take up the matter as soon as
possible. They also stated that the Friendly Visitors
were out of order in making such a request as such matters
could only be handled by the Executive Secretary.

Report of the Tenement House Investigation
Committee.

Several exhaustive reports were read. They
were filed with the housing investigation and such houses
as needed attention were reported to the Board of Health.

Miss Nieman reported that Frank and James Carter
of 4 Arlington Street were in need of a Friendly Visitor
of a big brother.

They also reported Della Finch of 54 Arlington St.
as needing a Friendly Visitor.

The Executive Secretary was asked to call on
Mrs. Susan Boon, 15 Arlington Street as they thought she

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was paying too much rent for the house.

Mr. Ashby reported that Mr. Watter wrote to the Sheriff and asked for statistics. The request was referred to the League for attention. The whole matter is tentative until the next legislature. There have been only three men appointed so far. Mr. Ashby tried to have a conference with Col. Bryant, but he was not in town.

Miss Mulford had no special cases to report, as her cases were for sickness.

Mr. Ashby reported that he had been offered the Silver Lake-Community House for a community center for the Colored people in that section.

MURFAYS Have moved to Long Is Land. Mrs. Jones the daughter in law is still here and Mrs. Munroe will continue to call there.

WATSON, Elizabeth. Miss Robinson is trying to get the Dr's. Diagnosis of the case. She has five X-rays which can be used for her board.

MOWELL Mrs. Paul of the North End District phoned in and asked the League to look up the case for Mr. Ashby was asked to look after the matter.